IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

REYNALDO MUNOZ,)
Plaintiff,)
))
V.) No. 1:23-cv-03210
REYNALDO GUEVARA, GERI LYNN YANOW, as special representative of) District Judge Sharon Johnson Coleman
ERNEST HALVORSEN, EDWIN DICKINSON, MICHAEL O'GRADY,) Magistrate Judge Young B. Kim
JEAN MORETH, LEE EPPLEN,)
UNKNOWN OFFICERS OF THE CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT))
and the CITY OF CHICAGO,))
Defendants.))

DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE EXCESS PAGES

Defendants, by their undersigned attorneys, hereby move this Honorable Court to grant them leave to file their Motion to Bifurcate, in excess of fifteen (15) pages. In support thereof, the City states:

- 1. The Defendants are filing a Motion to Bifurcate, which is 21 substantive pages. (Motion attached as Exhibit 1).
 - 2. To sufficiently address all relevant issues in the Motion, excess pages are needed.
- 3. The City recognizes that this Court's time is valuable and does not wish to unnecessarily burden it with lengthy pleadings.
- 4. Defendants' counsel conferred with Plaintiff's counsel, who does not object to this request.

WHEREFORE, the Defendants respectfully request this Honorable Court grant their motion for leave to file their Motion to Bifurcate in excess of 15 pages, and for any other relief as this Honorable Court deems just and reasonable.

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